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Invention: **NUCLEIC ACIDS OF THE HUMAN ABCA12 GENE, VECTORS CONTAINING SUCH NUCLEIC ACIDS AND USES THEREOF**

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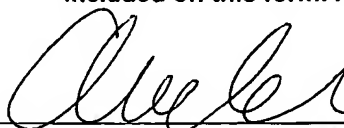
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**AMENDMENT**

Sir:

This Amendment is in reply to the Office Action dated 10 November 2004. Attached hereto and herein incorporated by reference is a Petition for Extension of Time for a three-month extension making the due date for response, 10 May 2005.

Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.